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## EMPLOYEE BENEFITS PROGRAMS COMMITTEE

Tuesday, January 5, 2021  
Pioneer Room, State Capitol  
Bismarck, North Dakota

Due to public health considerations and in accordance with Executive Order 2020-16, although a meeting room will be available to the public for this meeting, there will be limited seating. A livestream of the meeting will be available to the public at: <http://video.legis.nd.gov>.

Committee members have the option of attending the meeting remotely or in person. Staff will provide committee members with call-in or meeting room information before the meeting.

8:30 a.m.      Call to order  
                  Roll call  
                  Comments by the Chairman

### ACTUARIAL REVIEWS

8:35 a.m.      Committee consideration and receipt of technical [comments](#), actuarial information, and public [comments](#) relating to the following bill drafts over which the committee has taken jurisdiction which affect, actuarially or otherwise, the retirement programs of state employees or employees of any political subdivision, and health and retiree health plans of state employees or employees of any political subdivision pursuant to North Dakota Century Code Section 54-35-02.4:

**Bill Draft No. 135** [[21.0135.03000](#)], which [provides](#) for continued eligibility for health benefits following separation from employment in certain circumstances

**Bill Draft No. 183** [[21.0183.01000](#)], which [provides](#) maximum out-of-pocket costs for diabetes drugs and supplies for health insurance policies

**Bill Draft No. 566** [[21.0566.01000](#)], which [provides](#) for revision of the Public Employees Retirement System retirement contribution based on the health of the fund

Committee discussion and directives

9:15 a.m.      Adjourn

### Committee Members

Representatives: Mike Lefor (Chairman), Jason Dockter, LaurieBeth Hager, Matthew Ruby, Austen Schauer

Senators: Howard C. Anderson Jr., Brad Bekkedahl, Dick Dever, Karen K. Krebsbach, Richard Marcellais, Kristin Roers

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